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The Honorable Dan Mica
 Chairman
 Subcommittee on International Operations
 Committee on Foreign Affairs
 House of Representatives
 Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

On behalf of the Central Intelligence Agency, I would like to express our appreciation for your leadership and personal efforts in securing passage of the Omnibus Diplomatic Security and Antiterrorism Act of 1986. This legislation is, by far, the most formidable contribution to the fight against international terrorism by the 99th Congress. Moreover, all U.S. installations abroad will be more safe and secure for federal employees.

Passage of comprehensive legislation that spanned the jurisdiction of numerous committees required the skill, patience and statesmanship of a true leader. The Omnibus Diplomatic Security and Antiterrorism Act of 1986 is an historic milestone in U.S. foreign affairs.

I would also like to take this opportunity to commend the hard work and quality of your staff, particularly Richard W. McBride and Thomas Bruce.

Sincerely,

/s/ William J. Casey

William J. Casey
 Director of Central Intelligence

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